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A BELIEVER IN CONFEDERATE SCRIP. One of the curious characters of

or three years ago. the time of his death never lost faith in the final success of the confederate cause. This he showed by the fact 1882, Edmunds voted against it; Sher-

that he would take confederate money for anything he had for sale. bundle of them, which he would sell message he took occasion to speak in to the members of the bar, or any one derogation of the bill, and in the

The neighboring county of Greenbrier issued during the war a great
deal of county scrip, which was nothing more or less than a promise on
the part of the county, then claiming

Our old friend Broughey walked

man in earnest.

good enough for me."

Colonel McPherson drew a sigh of relief. Excusing himself for a few The states of California, Nevada ey to redeem all the old man's scrip.

Will be wanted. It can never be preHe was out of a bad box, and the
dicted of a candidate that he is to

## A New Earting Enterprise.

R. Robinson, of the Pacific Lumber company, arrived by last steamer and brought with him more materials for rafting the piles and logs that the company is preparing to have towed to San Francisco. The first lot will be ready to start by the first of next week. If the tug Escort No. 2 be not employed to do the towing, a tug will be sent up from San Francisco for that purpose. The company's mill has not yet been built, and the piles to be taken down are for use in and about the mills and wharves, which are to be constructed at Almeda bay. The theory upon which the new company proposes to do business is a new one on this coast, they believing that the cheapest way to move the immber is to tow it below in the log, as they propose, and saw it there, where all the refuse can be made available for one purpose or another. Robinson brought up with him several hundred feet of cable chain, to which the raft will be attached, in sections, by the swell of the sea or the strain that may come upon it by any prticular section of the raft, and therefore is not liable to breakage. The different sections of the raft will be bound at each end by wire cables, tightened by heavy turn-buckles. When this scheme of transporting logs and piles to San Francisco was first broached Lumber company makes a success of the new departure, we are liable, one of these days, to see all our logs and piles taken away by a tug boat, now and then, and then the occupation of our mill hands and the many schooners engaged in the lumber trade will be gone.—Coos Bay Mail.

Up in Spokane county the bailiff in Up in Spokane county the bailiff in charge of a hung jury on which there were several ladies informed the husband of one of them, for a joke, that the jury had put the lights out. The way that doubtful husband made tracks for the court house was very amusing to the boys.

oksche indicates kidney tronble hich St. Jacobs Oil will cure.

A Point Well Taken.

The Chicago Tribune brings an the state was an old fellow named old fact freshly into the foreground. Broughey, who formerly lived in Polit is the certainty that no Pacific cahontas county, and who died two coast state will vote for a man who favors the curse of Mongolian immi-He was most uncompromising, regration. The record made up by that

man was paired with Pendleton against it; Hawley was paired with He used to make a great many Butler against it; Harrison was paired canes, and when the circuit court with Maxey against it; and Logan would meet in his county, he would did not vote. President Arthur vetoed come into town loaded down with a that bill April 4, 1882, and in his veto else who would give him Confederate most complimentary terms of the He said that "old confed" was good enough for him, and that the depreciation in its value was but a scheme with Senator Garland, and, it was anon the part of a few men who would nounced, would have voted no; and gather it all up for a song, and then Senator Logan was paired with Sen-

to be a part of the confederate states, It would appear from the record to pay full value in legal tender of the that the Pacific coast Republicans Colonel Joel McPherson was can consistently have but one candiclerk of the county court of Green- date, and while this one [Blaine] was brier county at the time the scrip was not in congress when the Chinese bill issued, and every piece bore his sig was under consideration, his views were expressed in the senate in a speech made in February, 1879:

Ought we to exclude them [the Chiinto Colonel McPherson's office one day, several years after the war, laid his heavy walking stick down on the thus: Either the Anglo-Saxon race table, pulled a big bowie knife out of its sheath and laid it by the stick. Mongolians will possess it. You give took the mate to his bowie out of his them the start to-day, with the keen boot and deposited it alongside its thrust of necessity behind them and twin, unstrapped his belt, to which with the ease of transportation bewas appended two navy six-shooter fore them and with the inducements revolvers in their cases, and then tak- to come, while we are filling up the ing from his pocket an enormous wal-let, spread out before Colonel Mc it is inevitable, if not demonstrable, Pherson hundreds of dollars of the that they will occupy that great space "Now," said he, when he had it ull of country between the Sierras and the Pacific coast. In a republic esdisplayed, "I want this redeemed pecially, in any government that Your name is on every piece, saying maintains itself, the unity of order that it is good for so much. I want and of administration is in the fam-

The colonel looked at the speaker, this country from all portions of the then at the array of serip, then at the British islands, from Germany, from arsenal. The scrip was genuine, the artillery ready for action, and the old mark, from France, from Spain, from Italy, come here with the family as "Why, my dear sir," said the colonel much engraven on their minds, and in "I have no funds with which to pay their customs, and in their habits as you. I was but the officer of the we have it. The Asiatic, who brings county, and am not personally re-sponsible for any of the county's debts."

neither wife nor child with him, can-not go on with our population and make a homogeneous element. The "I don't know anything about that," idea of comparing European immiwas the reply: "your signature is on gration with an Asiatic immigration there saying that the scrip is good. that has no regard to family; that Now, I want my money, and mean to does not recognize the relation of have it." "Those things were to be paid in serve the tie of parent and child; that confederate money, anyhow," said does not have in the slightest degree Colonel McPherson. "That was all the ennobling and civilizing influthe kind of money we had in those ences of the hearthstone and fireside Why when gentlemen talk loosely "Well, that's what I want," said about immigration from European Bronghey. "Confederate money is states as contrasted with that, they

oments, he went out and soon re- and Oregon have fourteen electoral turned with enough confederate mon- votes. In a close election these votes credit of Greenbrier county had been saved.—Charleston (W. Va.) Cor.

Detroit Free Press.

A New Earting Enterprise.

A New Earting Enterprise. states are for Blaine, it is because his record is satisfactory on a question which has become a vital one, and because it is certain that these states cannot be carried for any Republican candidate who in speech or vote has shown hostility, or even indifference. to the measure to limit Mongolion immigration to this country.

Bret Harte's Enemies.

I remember Bret Harte telling me that after he had published his first successful story, multitudes of ene mies sprang up around him and filled the papers with comments on the immortality of his matter. His first successful piece was "The Luck of Boaring Camp," describing the baby of a castaway woman which was adopted by the camp. The treat ment of the story none could assail in point of charming style and poet-ical insight and touch. The very fact that he had proved himself to be a master made these unseen enemie shorter chains, each section being who lie around every bright man's entirely independent of the others. The long chain will rise and fall with the bad morality of the baby of a castaway. He said that the flercest of these articles was published in a paper where he had once set type, and he protested to the editor, who was his friend, and said that that man must be a very violent enemy. "Why," said his friend, "it is not a man at all, a woman has been writing these attacks on you. She keeps a here, some of our expert lumbermen expressed the opinion that the plan would prove a failure. It does not look that way to us at present. The men engaged in the enterprise mean business and they will convey the piles and logs to San Francisco in the manner proposed, but they may piles and logs to San Francisco in the manner proposed, but they may not realize as great a profit in the stowed her fondness upon him. She stowed her fondness upon him. She business as they anticipate. We are somewhat inclined to hope that they will not. Our millmen have repeatedly been accused of laying waste our forests without correspondingly benefiting the country. If the Pacific Lumber company makes a success of who have sinned themselves express for those who sin a little.—Cincin nati Enquirer.

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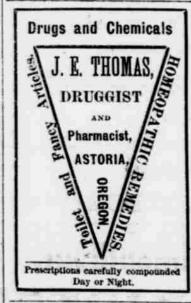


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